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| 1            | 2                        | 3     | 4     | 5    |
|--------------|--------------------------|-------|-------|------|
| 16.          | Manipur                  | 34    | 29    | 5    |
| 17.          | Meghalaya                | 8     | 6     | 2    |
| 18.          | Mizoram                  | 34    | 18    | 16   |
| 19.          | Nagaland                 | 25    | 25    | 0    |
| 20.          | Orissa                   | 477   | 425   | 52   |
| 21.          | Punjab                   | 328   | 256   | 72   |
| 22.          | Rajasthan                | 792   | 686   | 106  |
| 23.          | Sikkim                   | 13    | 10    | 3    |
| 24.          | Tamil Nadu               | 757   | 727   | 30   |
| 25.          | Tripura                  | 75    | 61    | 14   |
| 26.          | Uttar Pradesh            | 2172  | 1424  | 748  |
| 27.          | West Bengal              | 706   | 596   | 110  |
| 28.          | Uttaranchal              | 200   | 101   | 99   |
| TOTAL: (A)   |                          | 13856 | 11335 | 2521 |
| <b>B.</b>    | <b>Union Territories</b> |       |       |      |
| 1.           | Delhi                    | 392   | 266   | 126  |
| 2.           | Pondicherry              | 21    | 17    | 4    |
| 3.           | Chandigarh               | 20    | 18    | 2    |
| 4.           | Andman & Nicobar Island  | 8     | 8     | 0    |
| 5.           | Lakshdweep Island        | 3     | 2     | 1    |
| 6.           | Daman & Diu              | 3     | 2     | 1    |
| 7.           | Dadra & Nagar Havali     | 2     | 2     | 0    |
| TOTAL: (B)   |                          | 449   | 315   | 134  |
| TOTAL: (A+B) |                          | 14305 | 11650 | 2655 |

**Setting up of family courts in Chhattisgarh**

†1237. SHRI MOTILAL VORA: Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to State:

(a) whether it is a fact that proposals to set up 5 family courts in Chhattisgarh has been invited for administrative approval from the High Court, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh;

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

(b) whether Government have received the said proposals from High Court; and

(c) if not, the steps taken by Government to expedite receipt of proposals?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI K. VENKATAPATHY): (a) to (c) No, Sir. However, all State Governments/UTs have been requested to set up Family Courts in each district.

### **Working of Fast Track Courts**

1238. SHRI THENNALA G. BALAKRISHNA PILLAI: Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have assessed the effectiveness of Fast Track Courts in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the total number of cases cleared through Fast Track Courts the last year, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW & JUSTICE (SHRI K. VENKATAPATHY): (a) to (c) The effectiveness of the 1562 Fast Track Courts (FTCs) in the country, central support for which has been continued for a period of five years, beyond 31-3-05, is assessed by monitoring the number of cases disposed of by these courts. A statement indicating the number of cases disposed by the FTCs in the different States, as reported by the State Governments, is given (See below).

### **Statement**

#### ***State-wise number of cases disposed by the FTCs***

| Sl. No. | Name of the State | No of cases disposed in 2005 |
|---------|-------------------|------------------------------|
| 1       | 2                 | 3                            |
| 1       | Andhra Pradesh    | 33402                        |
| 2.      | Arunachal Pradesh | 287                          |
| 3.      | Assam             | 6820                         |
| 4.      | Bihar             | 11968                        |
| 5.      | Chhattisgarh      | 12433                        |